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September 9, 2008

Mark Jaworski  
Site Investigations  
Indiana Department of Environmental Management

To Whom It May Concern:

I initially was made aware of a potential groundwater contamination concern in the vicinity of County Rd 106 and Lane St. in Elkhart In, 46514 on August 22, 2007. The concern was brought to me by Mrs. Darlene Knoll, 53514 Lane St., Elkhart In, 46514. Mrs. Knoll had her drinking water tested through a program available from Heidelberg College in Tiffin OH. She contacted me at approximately 8 am on 8/22/07 concerned about the test results she received from Heidelberg. Those results indicated an extremely high level of trichloroethylene (TCE) in the submitted sample. She faxed those results (attached) to me at approximately 8:20 am.

I reviewed the results and contacted Heidelberg College to confirm the test results. Heidelberg acknowledged that the double checked the results due to the extremely high TCE (1360 ppb) number. I then proceeded to contact Mr. Mark Jaworski, Site Investigations IDEM, to discuss this situation and request that IDEM potentially collect groundwater samples to confirm the suspected contamination. This discussion occurred at approximately 11:15 am on 8/22/07. Upon discussion with his supervisors Mr. Jaworski contacted me and stated that IDEM would be conducting a sampling event to determine and or confirm any groundwater contamination.

Sincerely,

John J. Hulewicz  
Environmental Health Supervisor

Enclosure: Heidelberg Lab Results

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Tiffin, Ohio 44883

DARLENE K KNOLL  
53514 LANE STREET  
ELKHART, IN 46514

Dear well water survey participant:

Thank you for participating in this cooperative private well testing program. The following list shows the concentrations of the chemicals we analyzed in sample #0083041 which you collected on 072407. Drinking Water Standards have been developed for several of these chemicals. These standards are listed and briefly explained on the enclosed Interpretation letter.

SEE INTERPRETATION LETTER

Chemical	Concentration Units	Primary Standards	Secondary Standards	Concentration in Your Sample
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VOC NUMBER IS V007050

for more information see <http://www.epa.gov/safewater>

**marine**  
fasteners midwest, inc.

Darlene Knoll  
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ATTN: John Holewicz

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Call 8/22/07 10:25 (419) 448-2

called John Holewicz 8/22/07 8:00 faxed results 8:20 AM

Please Keep me Posted!!

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VOC CONCENTRATIONS FOR YOUR SAMPLE NUMBER V007050

NAME	IN YOUR SAMPLE PPB	DRINKING WATER STANDARD PPB
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TRIHALOMETHANES		
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CHLOROFORM	0.	*
BROMODICHLOROMETHANE	0.	*
DIBROMOCHLOROMETHANE	0.	*
BROMOFORM	0.	*
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YOUR TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES ARE	0	
*TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES SHOULD NOT EXCEED 80.		
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REGULATED VOC		
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VINYL CHLORIDE	0.	2
BENZENE	0.	5
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE	5.	5
1,2 DICHLOROETHANE	0.	5
TRICHLOROETHYLENE	1360.	5
1,4 DICHLOROBENZENE	0.	75
1,1 DICHLOROETHENE	7.	7
1,1,1 TRICHLOROETHANE	73.	200
CIS 1,2 DICHLOROETHENE	1.	70
1,2 DICHLOROPROPANE	0.	5
ETHYLBENZENE	0.	700
CHLOROBENZENE	0.	100
1,2 DICHLOROBENZENE	0.	600
STYRENE	0.	100
TETRACHLOROETHYLENE	0.	5
TOLUENE	0.	1000
TRANS 1,2 DICHLOROETHENE	1.	100
O,M XYLENE	0.	10000
P XYLENE	0.	10000
MTBE	0.	10
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UNREGULATED COMPOUNDS		
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EC BUTYLBENZENE	0.	
ERT BUTYLBENZENE	0.	
CHLOROTOLUENE	0.	
CHLOROTOLUENE	0.	
1,3 DICHLOROBENZENE	0.	
ISOPROPYLBENZENE	0.	
PROPYLBENZENE	0.	
BROMOBENZENE	0.	
BUTYLBENZENE	0.	

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UNREGULATED COMPOUNDS  
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ISOPROPYLTOLUENE	0.
NAPHTHALENE	0.
,,2,3 TRICHLOROBENZENE	0.
,,2,4 TRICHLOROBENZENE	0.
,,2,4 TRIMETHYLBENZENE	0.
,,3,5 TRIMETHYLBENZENE	0.
,,2 DIBROMO 3 CHLOROPROPANE	0.
,,2 DIBROMOETHANE	0.
,,3 DICHLOROPROPANE	0.
CIS 1,3 DICHLOROPROPENE	0.
TRANS 1,3 DICHLOROPROPENE	0.
HEXACHLOROBUTADIENE	0.
,,1,1,2 TETRACHLOROETHANE	0.
,,1,2,2 TETRACHLOROETHANE	0.
,,1,2 TRICHLOROETHANE	0.
,,2,3 TRICHLOROPROPANE	0.
BROMOCHLOROMETHANE	0.
DIBROMOMETHANE	0.
,,1 DICHLOROETHANE	369.
,,2 DICHLOROPROPANE	0.
BROMOMETHANE	0.
CHLOROETHANE	0.
CHLOROMETHANE	0.
DICHLORODIFLUOROMETHANE	0.
TRICHLOROFLUOROMETHANE	0.